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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6843**

**BILL NUMBER:** HB 1083

**NOTE PREPARED:** Feb 4, 2004

**BILL AMENDED:** Feb 4, 2004

**SUBJECT:** Study Committee.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Rep. Mahern

**FIRST SPONSOR:**

**BILL STATUS:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading - 1<sup>st</sup> House

**FUNDS AFFECTED:** X **GENERAL**  
**DEDICATED**  
**FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** State

**Summary of Legislation:** (Amended) This bill establishes the Interim Study Committee on Urban Mass Transportation.

**Effective Date:** (Amended) Upon passage.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:** (Revised) The bill establishes the Interim Study Committee on Urban Mass Transportation to study the following:

- (1) The economic impact of urban mass transportation systems upon the:
  - (A) passengers of urban mass transportation systems;
  - (B) business community; and
  - (C) communities served by urban mass transportation systems.
- (2) The social impact of decreased levels of urban mass transportation:
  - (A) funding;
  - (B) service levels; and
  - (C) availability to the public.
- (3) The relationships that exist among:
  - (A) municipalities that operate an urban mass transit system;
  - (B) surrounding communities; and
  - (C) adjacent suburban communities.
- (4) Any other issue as determined by the Committee.

The Interim Study Committee on Urban Mass Transportation consists of 19 members.

(1) Five members appointed by the Governor as follows:

- (A) One member who is a Deputy Mayor of a Consolidated City.
- (B) One member representing business.
- (C) One member representing labor.
- (D) One member who is an economic development professional.
- (E) One member representing a regional transportation authority.

(2) Four members who are members of the Senate, appointed by the President Pro-Tempore of the Senate.

(3) Four members who are members of the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House.

(4) Six members appointed by the Chair of the Legislative Council as follows:

- (A) One member who is a member of the city-county council of a consolidated city
- (B) One member who is a member of a second class city.
- (C) One member who is a member of a city council of a second class city.
- (D) One member who is a member of a county council.
- (E) One member who is an officer or board member of a public transportation corporation operating in a consolidated city.
- (F) One member who is a citizen of Indiana and not an elected official.

The Chair of the Legislative Council shall select the chairperson of the Committee. The Committee will operate under the policies governing study committees adopted by the Legislative Council. Legislative Council Resolution 03-02, adopted May 28, 2003, provides for a budget of \$15,000 for committees that consist of 16 or more members. The budget amount could vary per interim depending on future Legislative Council resolutions. The Committee budget would be paid from funds appropriated to the Legislative Council from the state General Fund to pay for per diem and travel expenses.

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:** Legislative Services Agency.

**Local Agencies Affected:**

**Information Sources:**

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